

**FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.**  
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Associate Judges—JOHN BRICE, C. A. HILL.  
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Sheriff—C. W. CLARK.  
Commissioners—H. W. LINDSEY, J. S. HENDERSON, H. A. ZENDELL.  
County Superintendent—S. E. HITT.  
District Attorney—T. J. VANGEMER.  
County Commissioners—H. G. DAVIS, GREENWALD.  
County Surveyor—F. F. WHITTAKER.  
Coroner—C. H. CHURCH.  
County Auditors—G. W. WARREN, S. A. SCOTT, R. B. SWALLEY.

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Tionesta, Pa.  
Collections made in this and adjoining counties.  
**C. W. SHAWKEY,**  
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Tionesta, Pa.  
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Tionesta, Forest County, Pa.  
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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
Tionesta, Pa.

**ATTENTION SOLDIERS!**  
I have been admitted to practice as an Attorney in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or sailors who were injured in the late war, or who have pensions to which they may be entitled, by calling on or addressing me at Tionesta, Pa., for a list of claims for arrears of pay and bounty, will receive prompt attention.  
I have served four years a soldier in the late war, and having for a number of years been engaged in the prosecution of soldiers' claims, my experience will assure the claimant of claims in the shortest possible time.  
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now in a centrally located, everything complete and well furnished. Superior Accommodations and strict attention given to all cases. Variables and Fruits of all kinds served in their season. Sample Rooms for Commercial Agents.  
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**DENTISTRY.**  
DIL J. W. MORROW.  
Having purchased the materials &c., of the late Dr. Steadman, would respectfully announce that he will carry on the Dental business in Tionesta, and having had over six years successful experience, considers himself fully competent to give entire satisfaction. I shall always give my medical practice the preference. mar-22-82.

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Real Estate Agent & Conveyancer,  
Office in Court House,  
Tionesta, Forest County, Pa.  
**PARTICULAR ATTENTION** given to Searches, Briefs, Payment of Taxes, Redemption of Lands, Purchase of Lands at Taxpayer's Sale, Will draw deeds, mortgages, agreements, &c. All business entrusted to my care will receive prompt attention. Everything done satisfactorily and at reasonable rates. 11Jan82

**LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.**  
Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station.  
NORTH. SOUTH.  
Train 15... 7:45 am Train 63... 11:05 am  
Train 18... 8:10 am Train 10... 1:45 pm  
Train 9... 3:59 pm Train 10... 8:20 pm  
Train 15 North, and Train 10 South carry the mail.

—Rev. Hicks will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.  
—Presbyterian Sabbath School at 3 p. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10 a. m.

—It is "Mayor" Irwin now. Don't forget it.  
—Dr. Coburn was able to go to the polls and cast his vote yesterday.  
—Now the sleighing is about fizzled, that is in town; on the hills it is still "fair going."

—Peter Slater's household, at Holmans Flats, now rejoices over a bouncing big new boy.  
—Postmaster McKay is worse again, and little hope of his recovery is entertained.

—A silver cuff button was found and left at this office, where the owner can have it by calling.  
—We regret to state that Mrs. General White is seriously ill from an attack of pneumonia.—Ind. Progress.

—The new towns on the Cooper tract are drawing pretty heavily upon the population of Garfield and Farnsworth.  
—Shellos Range, whose illness we made mention of last week, had recovered sufficiently to be taken home yesterday.

—All the new shades in spring dress goods at the sample room of O. H. Hunter & Son, in C. Davis' news stand. Drop in and examine them. It

—Judge Cook's genial book-keeper, Mr. R. B. McBeth, of Cooksburg, had the misfortune to break his collar bone by slipping on the ice, one day last week.

—The borough and township elections passed off so quietly in this place yesterday that one would scarcely have known that such an important event was taking place.

—We learn with regret of the serious illness of Uncle Isaac Siggins, of West Hickory, who has for some time been confined to his bed. Mr. Siggins' friends consider him in a critical condition.

—Flannels, and all winter goods, can be had at 10 per cent. less than cost, at O. H. Hunter & Son's sample room, C. Davis' news stand. Call early and secure the best bargains. It

—The Free Methodist society is holding a very successful revival at Led Brush. A large number have already been forward, and still the work goes on.

—The Harrisburg Fair is adjourned over until to-morrow to allow the members a chance to go home and vote. Mr. Davis took a fly home, cast his ballot and left on the noon train yesterday.

—Geo. King of West Hickory, did the REPUBLICAN office yesterday. He has several hundred tons of very choice ice on his farm which he will dispose of at a reasonable figure and take long paper for pay.

—Dr. Morrow has been kept on the go for the past few nights, attending the sick in the surrounding country. He was called to see a daughter of Justice Catlin, at Newtown, last night, who is in a critical state.

—A grand opportunity is offered the ladies of Tionesta to secure great bargains in dry goods. O. H. Hunter & Son, of Warren, have opened a fine line of samples of their immense stock, at C. Davis' news stand. It

—Mr. Chas. McCray, of Scotch Hill, was in town last Saturday. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. McCray will sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son, Fred Edwin, who died on the 11th inst., of lung fever; aged two months. 6-23

—The Warren Mail says the Anchor Oil Co., of Warren, received a letter dated London, Jan 29, and directed: "Messrs. The Anchor Oil Company, Cooper Tract District, Forest County, near Pittsburgh, U. S. A."

—The lumbermen are preparing for the spring rafting, the creek now being comparatively clear of ice. The struggle among the timber owners now is, to get to market first and secure the cream of the season on prices.

—A furious storm, accompanied by sharp flashes of lightning and heavy bolts of thunder, swept over these parts last Wednesday evening. This is the first of the season, and coming thus early is said by old observers to denote severe cold weather before spring opens.

—The Oil City Derrick mentions the fact that "seven members of the present Legislature were born in Clarion County," and in another item it says: "Thus far this year Clarion County has sent five patients to the Insane Asylum. Last year that county furnished the institution with more patients than any other county in the district." There is considerable food for reflection in the above.

—Another railroad through Forest county. The Venango Citizen says; The engineer corps of the Buffalo Pittsburgh & Western Railway left Oil City Monday morning, their destination being President. Starting from this point they will survey a route through Forest and Clarion counties and strike the Low Grade Division of the Allegheny Valley near Brookville, Jefferson county.

—W. H. Steffe still continues very ill from the dropsical affection with which he is suffering. He has in the last three months been subjected to tapping upon twelve different occasions, and relieved of forty-two gallons, or three hundred and fifty-two pounds, of water.—Clarion Journalian.

—Peterson's Magazine for March is out with its brilliant pages brim full of the choicest selections calculated to interest and instruct the ladies. The principal steel engraving, "In the Hay Mow," the colored steel fashion plate and a pattern for a tidy on Java canvas are all as lovely as they can be. Every lady should read "Peterson's." Only \$2.00 a year. Address Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

—The consolidation of the B. P. & W., the B. N. Y. & P., the Oil City & Chicago and the Olean & Salamanca railroad systems was consummated at a meeting of the officers held at Philadelphia last week. The title will hereafter be the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad. J. W. Jones was elected President at the same meeting. The capital stock of the company is over twenty millions of dollars.

—Mr. Jno. H. White, of Barnett, was in town one day last week. He informs us that the loss to the lumbermen of Barnett township, by the big flood was not as great as at first reported, and that aside from three or four coal boats and a few sticks of timber, nothing left the landings at Clarington or Cooksburg. At Millstone, however, considerable loss was sustained by Hall & Co., in the breaking of booms, and the getting loose of several thousand logs.

—An exchange remarks that the man who sells pieces of chalk wrapped in red flannel and attached to a string, which he claims when inserted in the oil in a lamp will prevent explosion, is victimizing people "too poor to take a paper," in a neighboring county, and is very liable to get into this section. We are glad to state that he will not find many customers in our county who are "too poor to take a paper," but may find some who are "too economical."

—The second big flood of the season visited this section last week, and just about finished the work of destruction which the previous one had left undone. The mild weather accompanied by heavy rain on Thursday and Friday, caused a swelling of the streams, and it was for a time feared we might have a repetition of the flood of the 4th inst. The water lacked several feet of reaching the "high water mark" however, and by Saturday night the flood had reached its highest. No particular damage was done on the river, but along the creek things were pretty well cleaned out. The immense

ice-gorge at "crooked chute," above Newtown gave way, and much of the lumber and timber that had been lodged therein was carried away. It was hoped that the gorge might melt away gradually, which would have enabled the owners to save a large amount of the lumber, especially the timber, lodged there. but as it is now there is little left to be saved, and that which has gone is hardly worth picking up. The bridge at Newtown, which had been badly racked by the late flood, was completely destroyed on Sunday morning, which will put the citizens there to much inconvenience. At Salmon creek, we learn many of the citizens were driven again out of their houses, but no serious damages were sustained. Except the carrying away of loose stuff that had lodged along the banks of the stream no damage is reported.

—Hickory township has lost one of her oldest and best citizens in the death of Mr. Geo. Guenther, which occurred on Thursday night Feb. 15th, 1883, after an illness of several months. Mr. Guenther came to this country from Germany about the year 1854, and being an industrious man he soon accumulated enough to purchase a good farm in Hickory twp., which he has occupied ever since, and which is now one of the finest in the township. He reared a fine family, among which is one son, all of whom have grown up and become useful ornaments to society. He was an energetic, frugal and honorable citizen, highly esteemed by his neighbors, and he died leaving behind a large circle of friends who will long revere his memory. His age was about 56 years. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on last Sabbath.

**OIL NOTES.**  
News from the Cooper or Gusher district is a very scarce article just at present. From what we can learn, however, business is very active, and by the time spring arrives things will be in a booming state.

A twenty-four-hour gauge on the producing wells of the district, (exclusive of Balltown), taken by a Derrick reporter, shows up as follows:

Wells.	Production.
Reno	500
Reed & Breneman	175
Melyin, Walker, Shannon & Co. No. 5	300
" " (Shannon No. 1)	30
" " "	45
Murphy	20
Forest Oil Co.	175
Fertig & Henne's No. 2	48
" "	3
Connell	5
Anchor	135
Stewart	35
Clark & Foster (third sand)	35
" (second sand)	30
Total	1730

The Porcupine well at Balltown, according to latest reports, has made about eleven inches in a twelve hundred barrel tank since it was first opened.

The Vessel wildcat, on subdivision 54 of Warrant 3179, Jenks twp., is reported fourteen hundred feet deep. It ought to be completed in a short time now.

Wolcott & Co., at Sugar Run, are pegging away, but what depth they have reached is a mystery.

**TIDIOUTE.**  
St. Valentine's day passed off more quietly than usual.

Postmaster Long, who has been confined to the house for some time by a severe attack of sickness is now able to be about again.

Capt. H. H. Cumming's baby daughter, aged two weeks, died Friday evening.

The house of Mr. John Corl was burned last Monday night, together with most of its contents.

Two men were on hand Monday morning looking over the sight of the new High School building.

There is a great deal of sickness in town at present; however the most dangerous cases are recovering. Among these are Mrs. E. M. Curtis, Mrs. Jahu Hunter and W. H. Mabie.

The first birds of the season, crows, were seen sailing around overhead this morning.

In the coming elections there seems to be a tendency to elect the men most competent to fill the offices, Bob. Feb. 20, 1883.

**WANTED.**  
A first class Wagon Maker. Good location and shop rent free. Address or apply to Wm. Blum, Tionesta, Pa.

—S. Wilton, Wrightsville, Pa., says: "I consider Brown's Iron Bitters superior to any medicine I ever used."

**SPRING ELECTIONS.**  
The annual spring elections for township and borough officers were held yesterday. In this place the contest was devoid of all interest so far as any outward show was concerned. There was no contest on any of the offices except those of councilmen and school directors, upon which there was considerable cutting and slashing, as it were. A caucus was held on Monday evening and a full ticket placed in nomination, but as these caucuses don't seem to be very binding on the voters who take part in them, the regular ticket was somewhat scratched. Not enough, however, to affect it to any visible degree, excepting in the office of inspector of elections, J. D. Hulings being elected in the place of David Breneman. There was an attempt to spring a point on one of the school director nominees, but it fell short of the mark. The council elected is the youngest that has ever had charge of affairs in the borough, and some one has had the temerity to call it the "baby council;" however this may be, the boys will, we believe, do well, and as they have, in the newly elected burgesses, Judge Irwin, one who will be a father to them, and keep a fatherly watch over his children, the citizens need have no grave apprehensions for the future welfare of the town. We give below the ticket as elected yesterday.

**BOROUGH**  
Burgess  
S D Irwin  
Council  
H M Foreman } North Ward  
C M Shawkey }  
A M Douth }  
J H Fones } South Ward  
A H Dale }  
W A Eagles }  
High Constable  
Samuel Campbell  
Constable  
John Muenzenberger  
Assessor  
John Muenzenberger  
School Directors  
J W Morrow  
H S Brockway  
Overseer of the Poor  
W A Grove  
Auditor  
Charles Bonner  
Judge of Election  
R B Crawford  
Inspectors of Election  
J P Huling  
J D Hulings

Our neighbors of Tionesta township also have their trials and tribulations over the officers to be chosen at the spring elections. Two tickets were in the field yesterday in the twp., one of which was elected straight with the exception of inspector, Mr. J. C. Hooveler being elected on the opposition ticket. Following is the successful ticket:

Constable  
Phillip Emert  
Assessor  
Phillip Emert  
Overseer of the Poor  
Henry Rhodes  
School Directors  
G W Zents  
W. H. Wolf  
Wm Thompson  
Road Commissioner  
Wm Hood  
Auditor  
Quintain Jamieson  
Justice of the Peace  
S C Johnston  
Treasurer  
Wm Lawrence  
Clerk  
Jas. G. Carson  
Judge of Election  
Jas. G. Carson  
Inspectors of Election  
James Black  
J C Hooveler

**LIST OF LETTERS**  
Remaining in the Tionesta postoffice, February 19, 1883:

W. J. Brown, 2. Albert Howard, 3.  
Dr. J. W. Palmer, 2. Dave Lisk, 2.  
A. E. Taylor, 2. G. W. Dougherty, 2.  
Wm. Dougherty, 2. Mrs. R. E. Baldwin.  
Israel Copeland, esq. C. Kavla.  
Jim Hues, 1. Chas. E. Newell.  
A. W. Hicks, 1. L. W. Handy.  
Hyrum Haskins, 1. James Glenn.  
Jno. Frain, 1. Mr. J. W. Erwin.  
Henry Silverling, 1. Wm. Petrie.  
Jas. Mitchell, 1. Ab. Kinney.  
Mr. H. J. Parks, 1. Mr. L. F. Shriver.  
Mr. F. H. Weaver, 1. Jno. A. Stewart, sr.  
Imel Powers & Shank.

If not called for will be sent to Dead Letter Office in 30 days. Parties asking for above please say "advertised." J. M. McKay, P. M.

**GARDEN SEEDS DIRECT FROM THE GROWER.**—Mr. Joseph Harris, Moreton Farm, Rochester, N. Y., has sent us his new Catalogue of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds, for 1883. Those who want good, fresh seeds, direct from the grower, will do well to send for Mr. Harris' New Catalogue for 1883. It is sent free to all applicants. Address, Joseph Harris, Moreton Farm, Rochester, N. Y.

—J. M. Buckwalter, Phoenixville, Pa., says: "I have invariably heard Brown's Iron Bitters spoken of as an excellent remedy."

**SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
We take pleasure in announcing that we have perfected arrangements with the publishers of the American Farmer that enable us to club that magazine with the FOREST REPUBLICAN at the low price of \$1.75 per year, a trifle over the price of the REPUBLICAN alone. This is beyond question the first time that a reliable agricultural paper has been offered at so cheap a price, and we trust all our subscribers will avail themselves of this unusual opportunity of securing a first class agricultural magazine. The American Farmer is beyond doubt worth three times the price, at which we place it. Try it. It is a monthly publication.

—New Process flour, \$1.25 per sack, at Wm. Smearbaugh & Co.'s. 3t

—Farmers and others desiring a genteel, lucrative agency business, by which \$5 to \$20 a day can be earned, send address at once, on postal, to H. C. Wilkenson & Co., 195 and 197 Fulton street, New York.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
BY VIRTUE of a writ of Levari Facias D. sur Mortgage issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest county and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in the borough of Tionesta, on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, A. D., 1883, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

SAMUEL WILLETS for use of OLIVER F. BERRY vs. H. J. BROOKS et al. Levari Facias sur Mortgage, No. 15, February Term, 1883.—Brown & Stone, Att'ys.

All that piece of land situate in Highland township, Elk county, Pennsylvania, being the south one-half of warrant number three thousand seven hundred and sixty-six (3766), bounded north by the north half of the warrant, east by warrant number 3769, south by warrant number 3777, and west by warrant number 3778, containing five hundred (500) acres; said five hundred (500) acres being set off to The Tradesmen's National Bank by deed of partition executed between said Bank and Eliza J. Palmer the owner of the other undivided moiety, date March 20, 1882, and recorded in the Recorder's office in Elk county, in Deed Book F, page 104, excepting all rights, the oil and mineral products.

Also.—All that part of warrant number two thousand nine hundred and sixty (2960), within the in Howetownship, Forest county, Pennsylvania, containing seven hundred (700) acres more or less, with the tannery buildings, dry house, store houses, dwelling, saw mill, and other improvements thereon, excepting therefrom the following parcels deeded to the following named persons, according to the following sub-divisions, to-wit:

Number 1, A. Peter Anderson, 3 81-100 acres.  
Number 4, William S. Cole, 3 80-100 acres.  
Number 5, J. F. Clark, 3 26-100 acres.  
Number 6, John Holquist, 3 80-100 acres.  
Number 7, James Schwarfeldt, 9 30-100 acres.  
Number 8, Fred Yorkson, 4 70-100 acres.  
Number 9, Charles Anderson, 3 7-100 acres.  
Number 10, Electa Nelson, 2 26-100 acres.  
Number 11, Albert S. Brecht, 1 80-100 acres.

Also.—Five hundred acres more or less, being the western half of warrant number two thousand four hundred and fifty-three (2453), in Howe township, with the buildings and improvements thereon, excepting therefrom the following parcels, deeded to the following named persons, according to the following sub-divisions, to-wit:

Number 9, C. C. Smith, 2 40-100 acres.  
Number 12, C. C. Smith, 3 35-100 acres.  
Number 13, John Cameron, 26-100 acres.  
Number 14, Alexander Cameron, 2 41-100 acres.  
Number 15, Edward Reid, 6 87-100 acres.  
Number 16, Edward Reid, 4 88-100 acres.  
Number 17, B. Peter Anderson, 36 35-100 acres.  
Number 25, Alexander Geddes, 4 69-100 acres.  
Number 26, F. J. Carlson, 4 86-100 acres.  
Number 27, Edwin R. Rose, 5 47-100 acres.  
Numbers 29 and 31, Albert Bennett, 16 49-100 acres.

Also.—About eighty (80) acres of warrant number two thousand three hundred and sixty-six (2366) in Howe township, being all of said warrant described in said Mortgage, except four hundred and eight acres and five-tenths released from the lien of said Mortgage by agreement dated October 18, 1879.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of H. J. Brooks et al., at the suit of Samuel Willets for use of Oliver F. Berry.

**TERMS OF SALE.**—The following must be strictly complied with when the property is stricken down:

1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditors besore the purchaser, the costs on the writs must be paid, and a list of liens including mortgage searches on the property sold, together with such lien creditors' receipts for the amount of the proceeds of the sale or such portion thereof as he may claim, must be furnished the Sheriff.

2. All bids must be paid in full.

3. All sales not settled immediately will be continued until 2 o'clock p. m., of the day of sale, at which time all property not settled for will again be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom first sold.

4. See Pardon, Digest, Ninth Edition, page 4-6 and Smith's Forms, page 284.

C. W. CLARK, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Tionesta, Pa., February 5th, 1883.

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